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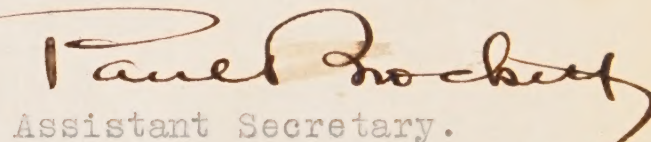
Mr. Howland Wood, Curator,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, between 155th and 156th Streets,
New York.

Dear Sir:

On February 25, 1918 you addressed a letter to the National Academy of Sciences, requesting copies of the Agassiz Medal and Public Welfare Medal, designed by T. Spicer-Simson, for exhibition in the Museum of the American Numismatic Society.

At the time it was not possible to secure the replicas, for the reason that the dies were in Paris, and that copies could not be secured in this country. Recently the Academy has had the dies brought over to this country, and a copy of each has been struck for the American Numismatic Society. I am sending them to you in this same mail.

Very truly yours,


Assistant Secretary.

October 4th, 1920.

Mr. Paul Brockett,
Assistant Secretary,
National Academy of Sciences,
Smithsonian Institute,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of September 25th and the package containing the two medals at hand. On behalf of The American Numismatic Society I wish to thank the National Academy of Science for these two pieces, and to you for the trouble taken in seeing that we have acquired these two pieces.

I beg to remain,

Most sincerely yours,

Curator.